

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:307
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A.I. FLIGHTS FROM NAGPUR
Mohite Shri Subodh

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Nagpur Airport has become international airport;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Air India is considering to start its services from the Nagpur Airport
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

- (a) and (b) : Yes, Sir. The existing domestic airport at Nagpur has been notified as an international airport on 5th May, 2005.
- (c), (d) and (e) : At present, Air India has not found operations to/from Nagpur Airport feasible due to inadequate traffic demand.